

HOUSE...No. 215.

[Reported by the Committee on Probate and Chancery.]

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-
Two.

AN ACT

To Facilitate the Settlement of the Estates of Deceased
Persons.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1 SECT. 1. Wherever in the sixty-sixth chapter of
2 the Revised Statutes the right of action of any credi-
3 tor of the estate of a deceased person against the ex-
4 ecutor or administrator of such person is limited to
5 the space of four years from the date of the bond
6 of such executor or administrator, or from any other
7 time therein mentioned, such right of action shall be

8 hereafter limited to the space of two years from such
9 time.

1 SECT. 2. When any executor or administrator shall
2 die, or be removed, without having fully administered
3 the estate of the deceased, and a new administrator
4 shall be appointed, such new administrator shall be
5 liable to the actions of the creditors for the space of
6 two years after he shall have given bond for the dis-
7 charge of his trust.